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THE WEEK IN EDMONTON

● Relief has cost Alberta more than $60,000,000 in the past eight years, it was disclosed in the Legislature this week by Hon. Dr W. W. Cross, Minister of Health and Public Welfare. Replying to critics in one of his rare speeches, the minister said that State Medicine was wanted by the people of Alberta, and that it would be provided in progressive steps as the means became available. Earlier in the day he had announced opening of the Calgary cancer clinic, second step in the five-year plan of cancer control which the province is inaugurating. Diagnosis and treatment is free for curable cases.

● Provincial lands made available to the federal authorities for airport sites in the new chain being constructed to the Yukon are leased free, it was stated this week. "The dominion government will hold a license of occupation for the duration of the war. The policy is to lend the federal government whatever it may need for war purposes free of charge," it was added.

● The budget having been formally introduced, Legislators have settled down to the traditional debate, and by the time it is over few maiden speeches will await delivery. Meanwhile, bills continue to be introduced, and the expected moratorium measure appeared Thursday last. It was introduced by Hon. Lucien Maynard, Minister of Municipal Affairs, and will apply to debts incurred prior to 1936.

● Edmonton will be honored March 26th by a visit from the Earl of Athlone and the Princess Alice. A Program for the Governor-General and his Consort has been completed.

Calgary will receive the distinguished visitors on April 21st.

● As forecast in the Throne Speech, a bill to provide that the Government Insurance Office write life insurance is before the Legislature.

● Inaugurating a system for standardizing gasoline in Alberta, a new order-in-council provides also for the immediate coloring of gasoline for farm fuel. The new grading system will provide for premium gas — with an octane range of 75-78, and regular gas, with a range of 66-70. C. R. Cottrelle, Dominion oil controller, is anxious for all provinces to adopt similar ratings, thus conserving tetra-ethyl lead imports for war aviation purposes.

MOISTURE CONSERVATION AND EROSION CONTROL

LETHBRIDGE EXPERIMENTAL STATION

— WEEKLY LETTER —

Only a part of the precipitation that falls is used in crop production. A considerable percentage is lost through runoof and, particularly on sloping land, this loss is often accompanied by severe soil erosion. Various projects from the standpoint of moisture conservation and erosion control have been conducted during recent years at the District Experiment Substations in Southern Alberta. The work at Foremost and Nobleford was of particular interest in 1940.

Contour dykes constructed across a shallow draw at Foremost in 1939 impounded the 1940 spring runoff water over an area of about 5 acres. The estimated depth of this artificial lake was about one foot. Instead of following natural water courses, this impounded water soaked into the ground and added to sub-soil moisture reserves. The value of the added moisture was easily realized in the fall of 1940 when at least 10 bushels more wheat were harvested per acre on this 5-acres' plot, than on land that had not been flooded. Flooded areas such as this are particularly suitable for a vegetable garden or the growing of feed for live stock.

To prevent soil erosion on steep land at the Nobleford Station, contour dykes were constructed across draws in the fall of 1939. When water began to collect behind the dykes in the spring of 1940, care was taken to spread it as uniformly as possible. No erosion took place and incidentally, there was an increase in yield of 4 to 5 bushels per acre on land where water had been spread from these dykes in the spring. This type of control on cultivated land is satisfactory where spring runoff is not too heavy. Where draws occasionally carry a large volume of water, it is advisable to seed to grass.

Many farmers have written to the Experimental Station in regard to this type of work. If you are interested, we would like to hear from you.

SPECIAL PICTURE SHOW

HIRTLE'S THEATRE, WED., MARCH 26th

ROYAL VISIT AND LATE WAR PICTURES

Technicolor pictures of the Royal Visit in Canada and the United States, and films of the evacuation of Dunkirk, Battle of Narvik, Battle of France, Seige of Paris, British Attack on the French Fleet in African Waters, Views of the Battle of London, Scuttling of the Graf Spee and other pictures will be shown in Hirtle's Theatre Wednesday, March 26th at 8.15 p.m.

This is under auspices of the Senator Patrick Burns Chapter I. O. D. E. Proceeds will be for War Work.

Mrs A. M. Palmer, Calgary is general convenor.

Tickets 35c, and students 25c.

SPECIAL MEETING MONDAY MARCH 24

Owing to bad road conditions there was a small attendance at the meeting called for Tuesday at 3 p.m. to discuss the method of canvas for the forth-coming Drive for Canadian War Services Fund.

After some discussion on best plan of procedure it was decided to ask a representative from various organizations of the Town and District to attend a meeting in the Dining Room of the Memorial Hall, Monday, 24th inst., at 8 p.m.

HOCKEY TROPHY FOR STRATHMORE

Coming to Strathmore for the first time, the Bow River High School Trophy cup is proudly sitting in the window of the Strathmore Hardware, with a story about the struggle the Strathmore Juniors had in winning it. With six teams in the league, from Carseland, Arrowwood, Mossleigh, Harrington, Kathyrn and Strathmore, the teams kept up a hard battle right down to the playdowns, when Strathmore beat out Arrowwood in two games with a total score of 6-5.

Geo. Keeling Aids War While Carrying Papers In Strathmore

The Keeling family at Strathmore is an old-timer to The Albertan. Members have held the paper route for the past 12 years and the present carrier-salesman, George, is making good use of his earnings. Son of Mr and Mrs C. Keeling, he will be 16 in May and already he has learned to take care of his savings. He has purchased one $100 war savings certificate, and three worth $5. He plans to buy one $5 certificate each month from his route earnings. He took over the job from his brother, John, about two and a half years ago. He intends to keep on with his route and do his part for the government.

—The Albertan.

SAFETY PATROL VISITS STRATHMORE

Playing to a capacity house in Hirtle's Theatre on Wednesday evening, the Safety Patrol of the R. C. M. P. showed a large group of interesting and cleverly executed pictures, depicting some of the hazards of the road, and how they might be overcome. From what might have been an exceptionally dull group of figures and statistics and illustrations, the force have built an intriguing series, mighty interesting, which will press home the point. During the show, they tied the theme in with Safety Patrols at the schools, with nursery rhymes, with formation flying of aeroplanes, with the individual's conscience, with the professional gambler, and with the court cases resultant.

The showing in Strathmor was the 38th showing in Southern Alberta, and nearly completes this section. Mounties in charge of the show are Cpl. Muir, and Constable Norris.

TOWN COUNCIL

The Council meeting on Tuesday night got underway right on the dot of eight, and continued for the better part of the evening at a swinging pace. Much of the established red-tape was recognized as such, and it was gratifying to see how easily it was dropped.

The financial statements for January and February were read and passed. Tax arrears, next on the agenda, took up the most considerable part of the evening. Some dozen cases were brought up, and action to be followed was decided upon. It was deemed advisable to arrange a tax sale for some time in June, as all properties could be entered by that time.

During the discussion of property, an interesting note was brought in, when it was recalled that "the nearer the Post Office, the dearer the lot." This custom, of some years back, still obtains.

It was determined to see what could be done in relief matters, about having the governmental portion brought up to date.

It was moved— "That the Council regrets that a misunderstanding has arisen with regard to a news item in the Strathmore Standard of March 6 about a proposed arrangement with Mr Anson Chase concerning the control of the premises, formerly used as a harness shop, for Red Cross Headquarters."

By-law number 213, dealing with Traffic on the Main Street, was read a third time and passed. This provides for angle parking, cars two feet apart, at least fifteen feet from intersections and clear of lanes, no parking in lanes or in front of the Town Hall, and no crossing over on the street. Also, no trucks except standard light deliveries may park on Main Street between Railway and Second Avenues.

A letter from the Provincial Govt. revealed that a recommendation of the auditors, that the councillors protect themselves under two or three section of various acts, by taking out liability insurance for councillors, was given under a mistaken impression, as these acts do not pertain to councillors, but only to paid officials and servants. The same letter, gave a list of consolidations in arrears, and asked teh Council to do something about the matter. It also showed that the Social Services levy was not up to the amount required by the Assembly, and stated that the amount short, over the last three years or so, would have to be made up, either immediately or over a period of about three years, and asked the Council to let the Department know its intentions.

By-law number 212, was also read a third time and passed. This appoints M. B. Garrett as the town assessor for the year 1941.

The condition of the culvert near Third Street on Railway Avenue was brought up, and it was decided that the best that could be done was to watch it closely, and otherwise, let nature take its course. Two matters of insurance were left over until the next meeting, since the policies are in force for another thirty days.

The meeting held on Tuesday afternoon, in connection with the War Services Drive, having asked the Council for a representative at their meeting next week, Council delegated teh Mayor to attend.

MASSEY-HARRIS DEMONSTRATION ATTRACTS CAPACITY HOUSE

Hirtle's Theatre was the focal point on Monday afternoon for a large group o fFarmers and farming men, all interested in seeing the improvements and major differences in farming made possible by the general use of the machine. Mr J. Caswell, the projectionist, had a large and varied number of films to show, and kept his audience interested throughout the afternoon. The reels included pictures of the Kernel of Wheat and its progress from the very first stage, until it was transported by ocean to England, and thence baked into bread. This reel was a Kinsman Wheat Board film. Others showed pictures of the King and Queen in their historic tour of Canada, a summary of all news shots during 1940, a comedy, and technicolor pictures of mechanized farming, all taken in Canada, and in the main, on Mr and Mrs Martin Johnston's farm at Chestermere.

Prizes awarded at the draws were won by A. L. Gade, M. Barber, T. Vervaire and Mrs A. Grimshaw.

During the intermission, the audience listened to short talks from Mr Douglas, sales manager for this district, and from Mr L. A. Phillips. They showed samples, and discussed them with the audience, answered questions, and asked those present to take advantage of the demonstrators, on the street in front, and give them actual trials.

THIS IS MEANT FOR YOU

The campaign for funds for Canadian War Services will get underway next week. A number of people will be canvassing and we bespeak a courteous and friendly reception for them, and a cheerfulness in contributing. The canvassers are not mendicants. They are responsible people imbued with a sense of responsibility to our fighting men. They are citizens trying to do their duty. People approached should appreciate this.

This war is approaching a climax. Our Canadian boys are facing great and unknown perils. Surely it is not asking much that each of us at home should contribute funds to keep going the war services that mean so much to our soldiers, sailors and airmen!

Don't grumble at being asked for a few dollars or a few bushels of wheat. After all what have you done, what risks have you run, what prospective dangers do you face, compared with what Canada's fighting men are doing and risking on the battle fronts of the world?

The slogan is— "We cannot let our boys down."

The truth is we dare not let them down. Surely we are made of better stuff than to even think of failure.

YOU do your part and all will be well!

Wheat Contributions Accepted—

Wheat contributions will be accepted by the Canadian War Services Fund. The Wheat Board will take deliveries over farmer quotas and the bushelage does not have to be registered in the farmers' permit book. In this way farmers can help this worthy cause without having to dig up the cash. District organizations should arrange for "wheat drives." Farmers may deliver their contributions to any elevator in which there is space and arrange to have the cash ticket made out to the "Canadian War Services Fund."

Bean Supper

UNITED CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL BEAN SUPPER, MAR. 24.

An evening of goodfellowship and inspiration has been planned by the United Church Sunday School for everyone and especially for parents on March 24th. Another date had been announced but it has seemed wise to select next Monday evening. All gather at 6.30 p.m. and enjoy a good time at the supper hour. An interesting program will follow, consisting of several numbers of music and an address by Rev. F. R. Harback, B.A., B.D., of Crescent Heights United Church, this year's President of the United Church Ministerial Association Mr Harback has been very successful in Sunday School and Young Peoples' work and is always interesting and challenging.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA.

March 1941

Dear Senator McRae,

Princess Alice and I are glad to become Patrons of the Canadian War Services Fund, for we realize the invaluable assistance the member organizations have given to our Armed Forces at home and abroad. We have been privileged to see these War Services at work in Canada and Great Britain, and we are greatly impressed with the excellent work they are doing.

We cannot emphasize too greatly the importance of providing pleasant recreation, healthy relaxation and comforts for our sailors, soldiers and airmen, and we are sure that nothing contributes so much to their physical and spiritual well-being. These services signify to them the affection and thoughtfulness of "the folks back home".

The Salvation Army, the Y.M.C.A., the Y.W.C.A., the Canadian Legion, the Knights of Columbus and the I.O.D.E., have united in the Canadian War Services Fund Campaign, and we commend their aim and purpose to all Canadians.

Yours sincerely,

Athlone

Major-General The Hon. A.D. McRae, C.B., National Chairman, Canadian War Services Fund, 200 Bay Street, TORONTO, Ont.

URGE "FOLKS BACK HOME" TO BACK BOYS

The Earl of Athlone, Canada's Governor-General, stated he and the Princess Alice were glad to become patrons of the Canadian War Services Fund because they had seen its organizations at work in Canada and Great Britain. They recognized the invaluable aid these services gave the fighting men of Canada, he said. "Nothing contributes so much to their physical and spiritual well-being". His Excellency pointed out in the letter reproduced ABOVE. "These services signify to them the affection and thoughtfulness of the 'folks back home' ".

SOROSIS SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the Sorosis Society was held in the Town Hall Wednesday with Mrs C. F. Nicholl presiding.

Reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were read, and the Society is in a gratifying financial position.

Donations of $10 to the School Fair and $10 to the War Services Fund were passed.

Other details were discussed and decided.

A motion was passed to hold no more meetings until the Fall, unless something special arose.

DR GERSHAW WRITES FROM OTTAWA

To insure that the visible supply of wheat on July 31, 1942 will not be greater than the carry-over on July 31, 1941, a definite limit will be set on the amount of wheat it will be possible to deliver either to the Board, on teh open market or otherwise. The limit will be 230 million bushels for the whole of Canada. This is the amount it is hoped will be sold on the domestic and export market. The Wheat Board will continue to pay storage to the producers on the undelivered portion of the 230 million bushels. They will guarantee an initial payment of .70c at Fort William for No. 1 Northern and the Processing Tax will remain as at present.

If a farmer summerfallows the reduced wheat acreage or part of it, the Government will pay him $4. per acre for the reduced wheat acreage which is black on July 1, 1941. Payment will be made as soon as possible after July 1, 1941. This means reduced as compared with the 1940 acreage.

If he sows the reduced wheat acreage or part of it to coarse grains in the spring or in case of rye in the fall of 1941, on lands not summer-fallowed, the Government will pay $2.00 per acre in 1941 as soon as possible after proof of sowing is established.

It is hoped that the area in wheat will be only 65 per cent of last year's wheat area and that the farm income will be equal to that of 1940.

Those holding wheat should see about selling it before August 1st, as storage stops on that date.

The Commonwealth Air Training Scheme was planned at first to be a joint British and Canadian venture. The British were to supply their share of the 600 million dollars in planes and equipment. In May 1940 an embaro was placed by Britain against the export of all Air Craft and in the hour of great need Canada will carry on alone and the scheme is enlarged to cost a Billion Dollars.

Canadian Airmen will be thoroughly trained and a pilot flying high in the future, will seldom be out of gliding distance of an airport.

This force is not for home defence alone, it is an attacking force, a striking force, a force designed to drive the Hun from the skies of Europe.

The question of conferring titles and decorations for distinguished services came up in the House this week. Parliament has on two occasions recorded a vote against titles and decorations that tended to create a class distinction in 1919. The Nickle Resolution asked His Ajesty to refrain from conferring titles on his subjects ordinarily resident in Canad. This was not to apply to military or naval decorations. The awards for the recognition of valor and gallantry are—

M. C.— Military Cross.

D. S. O.— Distinguished Service Order.

D. M. C.— Distinguished Conduct Medal.

M. M.— Military Medal.

D. C. F.— Distinguished Flying Cross.

D. S. C.— Distinguished Service Cross.

V. C.— Victoria Cross.

M. D. BOW VALLEY MONTHLY MEETING

At a meeting of the M. D. Bow Valley held Thursday the Councillors re-elected Jas. Harwood as Reeve for the ensuing year.

Wm. Fawkes was elected Deputy Reeve.

The usual grants were made as follows— National Institute for the Blind; Salvation Army; Langdon and Strathmore School Fairs.

Langdon C. P. R. Line To Be Closed?

The C. P. R. Line from Langdon to Irricana has been ordered closed.

This would work great inconvenience in the question of lessened elevator storage facilities. Hence pressure is being brought to bear by the Elevator and Grain Companies and Municipal Districts interested to ask that the line be left open for the duration of the war, as under present conditions all available wheat storage is urgently needed.

THE SCHOOL FAIR

WHITBREAD AND NICHOLLS MEMBERS OF PROVINCIAL GOVT. ADDRESS MEETING

Last Thursday Mr Whitbread, Provincial Agriculturist and Mr Nicholl, of the Poultry Branch of the Dept. of Agriculture briefly addressed a meeting held in the School. The attendance both of teachers and others was very disappointing. However we hope that something was accomplished.

(1)—Mr Whitbread and Mr Nicholls will visit all Schools, that are members of the School Fair Association, this Spring, encouraging added interest in Live Stock.

(2)—A Committee of about 20 farmers are being asked to aggresively promote interest.

The following comparative figures might be of interest. —

1—In 1940 there were 53 Fairs in the Province.

2—Strathmore and District School Fair Association was fourth in total number of entries.

3—It was first in number of entries in School Work.

4—In Live Stock entries it was 42nd.

5—In Cooking and Sewing it was 40th.

6—In Manual Training it was 43rd.

7—In number of rooms participating it was 4th.

8—In number of pupils enrolled it was 13th.

9—In estimated attendance it was 5th.

We should like to point out that in the final analysis, it is teachers more than anyone else who can create interest in this project among their pupils. If they are apathetic so will their pupils be.

Prize Lists for the 1941 Fair are now on hand and teachers will receive these in a few days.

If the teacher of any school, not previously taking part in the Fair, wishes to do so, please notify the Secretary at once.

COMING EVENTS

Auction Sale— At the farm of Jens Rasmussen, Friday, March 21st, near Standard.

Saturday, March 22nd— A St. Patrick's Tea and Sale of Home Cooking will be held Saturday, March 22nd in the Sample Room of the King Edward Hotel under the auspices of the W. A. of St. Michael's Church. This Tea was postponed from last Saturday on account of weather conditions. Come and enjoy a refreshing cup of tea with your friends.

Monday, March 24th— Bean Supper, address and musical entertainment in United Church. Supper served at 6.15.

Wednesday, March 26th— Interesting Evening of outstanding pictures in Hirtle's Theatre. See reader.

The Ladies of Sacred Heart Church are holding their Annual Easter Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in the Sample room of the King Edward Hotel on Saturday, April 3rd. Everybody welcome.

JOHN DEERE MARCH 24th — PRESENTED BY — PHILLIPS MOTORS HIRTLE'S THEATRE — SHOWING AT — 1:30 p.m. SHOW

SPORT Pants

MEN'S FINE DRESS PANTS in Green, Brown and Airforce Blue $3.95

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MEN'S FINE SPORT JACKETS Colors of Airforce Blue, Tans and Greens, both Plain and Trimmed—the new Over - the - Shoulder Zipper Style at $4.95

Men's Plain Cotton Sport Pants, in Plain Black, Blue, Brown and Tan, with Belt Straps, Cuffs, and Zipper Pockets at ..... $1.75 and $1.95

Boys' Airforce Blue Pants at $1.65
Shirts to Match at $1.25

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Pot Pourri

It is not to be thought of that the flood
Of British freedom, which, to the open sea
Of the world's praise, from dark antiquity
Hath flow'd 'with pomp of waters, unwithstood'—
Roused though it be full often to a mood
Which spurns the check of salutary bands,—
That this most famous stream in bogs and sands
Should perish; and to evil and to good
Be lost forever. In our halls is hung
Armoury of the invincible Knights of old;
We must be free or die, who speak the tongue
That Shakespeare spake; the faith and morals hold
Which Milton held.— In everything we are sprung
Of Earth's first blood, have titles manifold.

—(William Wordsworth)

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"TIGER'S" KIN

Annette Clemenceau, daughter-in-law of Georges Clemenceau "The Tiger" of France in world war days, photographed on her arrival in New York from France

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DISTRICT CONFERENCE AT LETHBRIDGE

ALBERTA WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

The Twenty-first District Conference of the Alberta Women's Institutes (District No. 4), was held at the Marquis Hotel, Lethbridge on Thursday and Friday, March 6th and 7th. Mrs E. T. Bell of Hussar, District-Director, presided. Mrs E. H. Resler, president of the Lethbridge W. I., welcomed the conference and the reply was given by Mrs G. Thurston of Nightingale.

Greetings were extended by Mrs E. T. Bell, Mrs L. W. Thompson, Coaldale, Mrs H. G. Ridley, Mrs Norton and other officers. Reports of the Constituencies were given by Constituencies as follows.

Warner— Mrs Thomas Otto.
Taber— Mrs R. E. Reynolds.
Medicine Hat— Mrs Grace MacDonald.
Redcliff— Mrs H. Demorest.
Calgary-Okotoks— Mrs E. Bird.
Little Bow— Mrs M. L. Todd.
Gleichen— Mrs G. Thurston.
Lundbreck, Rocky Mountain and Macleod— Mrs J. E. McNel, Standoff Miss Molly Coupland, Director U.F.W.A., Miss A. M. Tilley, President of the Quota Club, and Mrs A. S. Fumerton, Regent I.O.D.E. brought greetings from their respective organizations.

Mrs Campbell gave an interesting talk entitled "Reminiscences"

On Thursday afternoon some 250 members attended the joint session with the Girls Clubs, Mrs E. T. Bell gave a stirring address taking things which are "Above Price" as the keynote.

Mayor D. H. Elton, K. C. welcomed the conference to Lethbridge and referring to the W. I. motto "For Home and Country" said that never before have home and country been more threatened than now. In conclusion the Mayor said "Let us look up and not down— out and not in — and lend a hand."

Mrs M. L. Thompson gave an address entitled "Let's Talk About It" stressing thankfulness. At this point Mrs Bell and Mrs Thompson were presented with corsages by the Lethbridge W. I.

Greetings were brught by Miss Elsie Graham, Vice-president and Miss Jane Popham, Publicity Convenor, A.W.I.G.C. The latter made an earnest appeal for more girls clubs.

About 225 people attended the banquet for delegates and guests at the Marquis Hotel on Thursday evening. The toast to the King was given by Mrs R. E. Reynolds, and Mrs Todd gave the toast to the press to which Mrs B. Bletcher replied. Mrs E. Bird of Turner Valley gave the toast to the Girls' Clubs in a humorous vein, comparing the girls of yesteryear to the girls of today. A suitable reply was made by Miss Margaret Annabel Girls' Director. The delegates were guests of the Board of Trade at a theatre party after the banquet.

The Friday proceedings opened with a report on "Canadianization and Immigration" by Mrs H. G. Ridley.

Resolutions passed were— that the proper authorities be requested to curtail the sale of liquor for the duration of the war, and that the conference go on record as willing to do all in their power to promote the temperance cause in Canada, and to use their influence to lessen the amount of liquor advertising in current magazines. A resolution from the Calgary-Okotoks branch asked for the re-publication of the federated paper, "For Home and Country." Mrs F. G. Norton gave her report as publicity convenor and later was presented with a basket of flowers in recognition and appreciation of her long service to the W. I.

Guest speakers included, Miss L. Valgardson who talked of her experiences as a missionary in the Hawaiian Islands; Mr D. K. Yorath of the Elementary Flying Training School; Captain A. H. Smith of the Salvation Army; Mr E. C. Cameron, Secretary Y.M.C.A.; and Dr Stuart M. Rose, Pathologist.

Community singing and vocal selections by Mrs E. Wright, Miss Verna Russel, Mrs Powell and Mrs J. Smith added to the enjoyment of the various sessions, as well as readings by Mrs H. N. Becker, Miss Brenton and Mrs Drake.

It was decided to charge a small registration fee at future conferences to help defray expenses.

The next district conference will be held at Vulcan.

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At last a use has been found for ladies hats. Some ladies in Memphis, Texas, were trying to catch some birds, but without avail. They had no difficulty when the birds noticed the hat of one of the ladies — it had an artificial bird on it. The other birds flew up and perched beside it.

THE MAN WHO WILL BEAT HITLER

Winston Churchill

WINSTON CHURCHILL 1940—

"Is is a wise father that knows his own child." —Shakespeare.

In the history of British statesmanship, the name of Churchill has been inscribed in glowing terms of great men who have served their country well but fate has decreed that no final estimation shall be made in our time. While Winston Churchill is very much in teh midst of his great career, not only emulating but even surpassing teh achievements of his famous father, the late Lord Randolph Churchill or his equally famous grandfather, the Duke of Malborough, yet another descendant has already entered upon the stage where his father is playing so prominent a role.

Towards the end of 1940, Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Captain David Margesson, the official Government Whip, stood at attention one day at the bar of the House of Commons at Westminster, and between them, in the uniform of a lieutenant in the Fourth Hussars, stood Randolph Churchill, the Prime Minister's twenty-eight-year-old son. It was a rare occurence in the history of Britain because the Prime Minister was sponsoring his own son as a member of the House of Cammons. Lieutenant Randolph Churchill had been elected to Parliament from Preston division in a by-election. The trio advanced in slow, measured steps to the bar, made the traditional three bows to the Speaker, and a moment later the younger Churchill had been sworn in as a full-fledged member.

It was a proud moment for Winston Churchill, whose face smiled with pride at the ceremony, but it was a prouder moment for the older experienced men present in the House of Commons. They all knew what it meant and they all realized that they had witnessed the opening chapter of another great historical career as the Churchill family contributed another leader to the realm.

Like Winston Churchill before him, Randolph Churchill followed his famous father's footsteps. He had a turn in journalism before he was elected to Parliament. In fact, in 1936 he travelled on the campaign trains of President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Governor Landon. On another occasion he achieved what is known as a "scoop" in journalism by obtaining an exclusive interview with the former Kaiser of Germany, but it is reported that the former monarch did not like what teh younger Churchill had written about him. Indeed it is remarkable that, like his father before him, Randolph Churchill has known most of the truly famous men of his time, which, no doubt, is due in no small degree to the fact that he admires his parent almost in God-like manner and when his new and first born son arrived not many months ago, he named him Winston.

On November 26, 1940, Lieutenant Randolph Churchill rose in the House of Commons to make his maiden speech and the dramatic scene which followed as the son spoke and the father sat with his back to his son perhaps so as not to embarrass him with his paternal eye, caused every man in the House of Commons, young and old, politician and statesman, friend and foe, to jump to their feet with the kind of ovation that is extremely rare in the sedate calm and formal circle of British Parliamentary life. When the younger Churchill stated with feeling that "in one way I think that it is already a better world in a spiritual sense than it was two years ago, then we were giving in to evil, today we are resisting it; the entire assembly cheered and cheered in a deafening ovation. From all sides of the House of Commons came congratulations and high praise perhaps best expressed in teh words of Sir Alfred Knox who said "that in all the years that he had been in the House of Commons, he had never heard a member carry off a maiden speech with more brilliant colours."

That episode is one of the happier happenings in the career of the fighting leader of all free men, but there is another event of another complexion which forms an extremely important chapter. It not only tells a serious story but it throws a light on an angle of Winston Churchill's career that is of impellent interest to all men and women of the British Commonwealth of Nations engaged in his life and death struggle against the evil forces which aim to destroy civilization.

(Continued Next Week)

Used Cars

1939 MERCURY SEDAN
1939 CHEVROLET COACH
1935 FORD COUPE
1934 CHEVROLET SEDAN
1934 CHEVROLET COUPE
1933 CHEVROLET SEDAN
1931 CHEVROLET COACH

Used Trucks

1936 FORD 2-TON TRUCK 157" Wheelbase
1936 FORD LIGHT DELIVERY
1934 FORD 2-TON TRUCK 157" Wheelbase

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The Lethbridge Experimental station gives this week a practical method for conserving moisture and preventing soil erosion.

It is printed on another page and offers good practical advice.

CANADIAN WAR SERVICES FUND SIX IN ONE CAMPAIGN STARTS MARCH 24th

HE'S just a lad as years go, and he's full of the joy of living — even in this mad, grief-stricken world that has forgotten how to "play the game". We took him from schools, shops, farms, factories and offices. He laid down his fishing rod and tennis racquet and skiis, and donned a uniform and shouldered a rifle..... without a complaint.

He did these things proudly, because he knows that he and his pals, and older friends, have a mighty important job on their hands right now.

He knows the meaning of war and sacrifice — but he also knows the weaning of Nazi bestiality and slavery. And he's determined that it will never overcome England, will never find its way to this side of the Atlantic to destroy the freedom and security of those near and dear to him.. and the Canada he loves.

This boy is somebody's son, somebody's brother. He could be yours....

This lad, this youth of high ideals and principles, is our hope of the future. We rely on him — and thousands others like him — to carry on where we leave off, to make this nation fill the high role of leadership in the new and happier world of nations that is to follow.

His King, his Empire, is proud of his brave and unselfish response in this hour of need. And we — his folks back home to whom he has waved a "cheerio" and "thumbs up" — are we proud of him? Words, mere words, cannot answer that.

Today, we who hold the home front are being challenged — challenged by a conscience that will not let us be. For today we have the one and only opportunity that will come with in the next 12 months to show our love, our gratitude to this youth who stands for all Canadian youths.

Perhaps he is still among us. Perhaps he is "over there" in that island Fortress we call Britain. But where ever he is, he is counting on YOU to continue for his benefit, education, entertainment, recreation, and personal assistance — services that only YOU can provide.

You won't let him down. He's confident of that. And because he has faith in you, and faith in the cause for which he is fighting, he'll never let you down.

He's asking you — his mothers, fathers, brothers, sisters, sweethearts and friends — to give now, give generously, to the Canadian War Services Fund. For he knows that if you fail him in this cause, the things that have helped to make his life on active service happier, more purposeful, will not be there to help him carry on to victory.

The Campaign opens March 24th and the participating organizations are the Canadian Legion, I. O. D. E. Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army, Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A.

A NEW LEAFLET

A new leaflet on Flax production in Alberta, has been prepared by the Field Crops Branch.

WEED CONTROL CONFERENCES

The Field Crops Branch, Dept. of Agriculture, Edmonton, has arranged conferences to discuss weed control. These will be held in Calgary (Council Chamber) on March 27th and 28th. Representatives of Municipal Councils and Weed Control Officers will meet with officers of the Department of Agriculture at these meetings to discuss the latest material on weed control measures.

— TRAIN SCHEDULE —

Strathmore—
Going West No. 1 ..... 8.57 p.m.
Going East No. 2 ..... 8.02 a.m.
Carseland—
Going East No. 4 ..... 9.08 p.m.
Going West, No. 3 ..... 6.52 a.m.

NEW MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE ?

This Job is Large Enough For An All Time Man.

THE High River Times says— It is said of Hon. J. G. Gardiner that he is a man of immense energy. It is also said that he has assumed too many burdens of too varied a nature for any one man to carry well. Believing this to be true, quite a section of agriculture considers that it would be in farm interest if he resigned as minister of agriculture in favor of some one who could give all his time to this department and would perhaps safeguard rural well-being more effectively. Surely agriculture is of sufficient importance in Canada— both internally and in war economy— to rate the full time of one minister.

Fairly or otherwise, there is a strong impression that the minister of agriculture is losing contact and sympathy with the interests which he is supposed to protect and foster.

MISS STRUTHER, EMINENT WRITER, TELLS OF CHANGES IN BRITAIN

"DURING the last 15 or 20 years, the years between the two great ware, there has been a change of outlook and custom in Great Britain so great that in almost any other country it would have taken a revolution to bring it about. There has been a great awakening of the social conscience, and a realization that inherited wealth and position are not rights but only privileges, and that those fortunate enough to possess them are under an even greater obligation that other people are to try to rebuild the world—even though the world they are trying to rebuild will be one in which inherited wealth and position are going to be even rarer than they are now.

"Great Britain at the present time is a threshing-floor, on which the principles of democracy in which we have all believed for so long are being put under the flail. We haven't always lived up to these principles in the past, I know; we have made mistakes like all other democracies. But our present ordeal is going to mean the final separation of the husks from the grain. The harvest that will be gathered up from the threshing floor of Great Britain is going to be worth its weight in gold, not only to us but to the whole world."

—Christian Science Monitor.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT GIVES STIRRING AND POWERFUL ADDRESS

THERE was strength, conviction and confidence in the splendid address delivered by President Roosevelt Saturday last, following a banquet tendered by a group of Newspaper men to the President, after the successful passing of the Lease-Lend Bill, last week.

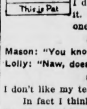
President Roosevelt, and Winston Churchill are stalwart men of the hour, in which it would seem the hand of fate has guided them to man the Ship of State in this most perilous period. Their vision, conviction, and determination speak for victory for their cause.

We hear murmurings of unrest, and distrust, growing in the Hitler forces, a—nd continually increasing, a condition which does not exist with the people of Britain and her allies.

This is a very significant fact. Churchill and Roosevelt, may they be rewarded by a victory greater, and as President Roosevelt said in his powerful address: "perhaps sooner than any of us now dare to hope."

Under The Street Lamp

by P. E. (Pat) O'Hooley



Constable Rawsethorne (to speeder): "Have you a driver's license?
Alex Woodrow: "Sure, I've got it right here in my pocket."
Constable: "That's all right. If you've got it, I don't need to look at it. If you didn't have one, I'd have to see it."

●

Mason: "You know Nora Bayes?"
Lolly: "Naw, does she?"

●

I don't like my teach at all,
In fact I think he's punk.
He sharpened his pencil with my knife
To mark me down a flunk.

●

"Is he a nice boy?"
"No, dear, I think you'll like him."

●

In Swimming.
Doris: "How doesn't that man come up?"
Johnny: "What man?"
Doris: "The one that went under about fifteen minutes ago."
Johnny. "My god."

●

Roberts. "Hey Mike, you're wanted on the telephone."
Sandcher: "All rght. Tell him I want a quart."

●

Pater: "How do you expect to support my daughter?" Why, a hundred dollars a month won't even pay the rent.
Suitor— "My dear sir! Surely you won't charge Dulcinda and me rent?"

WORLD OF WHEAT

(By H. G. L. Strange)

Director— "The Crop Testing Plan"

Comparative yields of the recommended standard varieties of wheat from the 1939 and 1940 "Crop Testing Plan" and official governmental tests have recently become available. They show most interesting results. One surprising thing is to find how Regent, teh latest product of the Dominion Rust Research Laboratory, has won up to the top class.

Throughout the West, on the average, for the two years in question, Regent yielded slightly more than any other variety closely followed, however, by Thatcher, Renown and Apex, and out of the rust area in Saskatchewan by Marquis. In Alberta Regent was close on the heels of the high yielding varieties arquis, Red Bobs and Thatcher.

This must all be a source of considerable gratification to the plant breeders and other workers of the Dominion Rust Research Laboratory who produced Regent. We are informed further that the varieties, Regent, Renown, Apex and Thatcher, will be still further improved year by year as newer Registered strains become available.

There are, of course, differences in yield of the various varieties in different districts. To find the variety best suited for himself each farmer, therefore, should make a test of several varieties on his own farm. In general, however, it can be said that any one of the varieties mentioned will give satisfaction for the districts in which they are recommended by the proper authorities.

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Church Notes

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Incumbent—
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March 23— Mothering Sunday
Strathmore—
8.30 a.m.— Holy Communion.
2 p.m.— Sunday School.
7.30 p.m.— Evensong.
Wednesday—
7 p.m.— Junior Choir Practice.
7.30 p.m.— Senior Choir Practice.
Thursday—
9.30 a.m.— Holy Communion.

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—Henry Van Dyke.

March 23rd— National Day of Prayer, Requested by His Majesty the King.
STRATHMORE—
10 a.m.— Morning Service.
11 a.m.— Church School.
11.30 a.m.— NAMAKA.—
7.30 p.m.— Evening Worship.

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Rev. R. Clegg, Minister
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Local News Items

SPRING IS HERE—
Despite a snow covered landscape, the calendar announces the arrival of Spring, Friday, March 21. Winter on the whole has been very kind, not much 30 below weather and few blizzards. Let's be thankful.

●

Mrs Turner of the King Edward Grill is staying with her daughter in Innisfail who has been quite ill. We are glad to report a turn for the better has occurred.

●

Mr and Mrs E. N. Ridley and Murney returned Monday from a trip to Toronto and other Eastern points.

●

Mr and Mrs Gilbert Patrick left Saturday morning on a holiday trip to the coast. They will visit at Revelstoke en route.

●

Mr Lawrence Wannop came down with his cousins, Harold and Gwendolyn Hunt to spend the week-end in Strathmore.

●

Miss Annie McGregor entertained her Sunday School lass at a St. Patrick Party at her home Friday evening. Merry games and good things to eat, made a very happy party.

●

Mrs T. S. Hughes invited a few friends to a delightful little Tea Friday last.

●

Miss Jean McGregor entertained at two tables of Bridge Wednesday evening.

●

Miss Gladys Fessenden who suffered a broken shoulder blade as a result of falling down stairs is making as good progress as could be expected. We wish Gladys a complete recovery with as little pain as possible.

●

Mr and Mrs D. A. Perry spent the week end in Red Deer.

●

Mrs Shrimpton invited a few friends Friday afternoon in honor of her mother, Mrs Barnett's Birthday. Mrs Barnett has made an excellent recovery from an accident which resulted in a broken hip. She is now able to get around the house quite easily.

●

Mr and Mrs C. F. Nicholl entertained at a very happy dinner party last Friday evening. Following a delicious dinner, bridge was played at three tables when the fortunate holders of high scores were Mrs Tommy Chamberlain and Mr Chamberlain, Sr.

●

The Dramatic Club met Monday evening at Mrs Van Tighem's home. A tentative date was set for the Evening of Plays to be staged in May. A paper on Bernard Shaw was given by Mrs Moore, with Mrs N. White reading portions from two of his plays and some of his prefaces. The next meeting will be held at the home of Dr and Mrs Giffen, Monday, April 21st.

●

The Teachers' Convention will be held in Edmonton during Easter Week, commencing Monday 14th.

●

Mr and Mrs M. Lounsbury returned Monday from a holiday at the coast.

●

Miss Bernice Whiteside who is enjoying her vacation of three weeks, went up to Canmore for the last week end.

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Another Strathmore boy has joined His Majesty's Forces. Graham A. Tench has joined the Irish Fusileer Battalion at Vancouver. Good luck Graham.

●

Clarence Lyons is leaving April 2 for Calgary where he will join the Dominion and Provincial War Emergency Training Program. Clarence will remain in Calgary for four months, after which he will be transferred to an Eastern point where he will be employed, building air plane bodies.

●

Joyce Woodliffe has been confined to her bed for a week. We wish her a speedy recovery.

●

Mrs Rawsthorne, Sr., is a guest of Constable and Mrs Rawsthorne for some time.

●

Edward Hanson is home from the East to have a short visit with his mother and brothers. He is looking exceedingly well and appear to be enjoying his army work to the full.

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Postponed St. Patrick's Tea will be held Saturday 22nd inst.

●

Mayor and Mrs T. S. Hughes entertained at Bridge last Saturday evening in honor of Mr LeBeck of Medicine Hat.

BY-LAW NO. 212

A BY-LAW OF THE TOWN OF STRATHMORE REGULATING TRAFFIC IN AUTOMOBILES ON THE STREETS OF THE TOWN

Be it enacted by the Council of the Town of Strathmore as follows:—

1—All automobiles parked on Second Street between First and Second Avenues to be parked close to the sidewalk facing same to an angle of approximately 45 degrees, two feet apart, the centre of the street and 15 feet from intersections of said street and avenues to be kept open for traffic, also the approach to the Town Hall and lanes and no parking in lanes.

2—No trucks, except light delivery trucks with standard light delivery box, to be parked on Second Street between said Avenues.

3—Fuel oil trucks shall not be parked on any street or avenue in Town, within a distance of 200 feet of any building not being an outhouse, coal shed, or grain elevator. For the purpose of this By-law a fuel truck shall mean a truck used solely for the conveyance of fueloil equipped with a tank exceeding 100 gallons capacity.

4—By-laws numbers 86 and 126 are hereby repealed.

Any party contravening this By-law shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding $20.00 and costs or in default thirty days in prison.

Done nd passed in Open Council this 18th day of March 1941.

T. S. Hughes, Mayor.
M. B. Garrett, Sec.-Treas.

MEMO.— Section 50 or "The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act" shall be enforced. Sec. 50 is as follows—"Any person driving a vehicle on any street or highway within any city, town or village shall drive such vehicle in such manner that the same shall not cross over from one side of such street or highway to the other side thereof between intersecting streets or highways."

NAMAKA

Wednesday afternoon of last week in the community hall the Rev. S. R. Hunt showed some very interesting slides of the Caribou Trail. The pictures showed the development from early to modern times, also some of the missionaries who labored in the mining towns along the Trail.

There wasn't a very large attendance at the Card Party on Wednesday evening the 12th but a good time was reported. Three tables of bridge and three of whist. Mrs Loy Wheeler was winner of the Ladies bridge prize, and Tuffy Ramsey the gents. Mr and Mrs Aitkens were the winners of the whist prizes. Another card party will be held on the 26th.

The Namaka Ladies Aid met at Mrs Hunt's home on Thursday last with a very good attendance. After the devotional and business part of the meeting, Mrs Miller took charge of the social part. It took the form of a contest. Mrs Aitkens was the lucky winner, having all the answers correct. The next meeting will be at Mrs Loy Wheelers.

We are very sorry to hear Mr A. J Thiessen underwent an operation in Rosemary Hospital this morning. The operation was successful and we hope he will soon be fully recovered.

The next Red ross meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 26th instead of Thursday the 27th, at the home of Mrs Loy Wheeler. Sincee the first of the year we have sent to Headquarters, 12 turtle neck sweaters, 13 pairs of pyjamas, 21 pairs Seamens Stockings, 39 pairs mitts, 5 Women's Helmets and 28 pairs of pillow cases.

Several motored to Lethbridge for the Hockey game Monday.

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ARDENODE

Mr and Mrs Fred Hilton have returned from a short holiday spent at the coast.

Mr and Mrs G. H. Godfrey spent a couple of days in Calgary last week.

The winners on our last week's Victory Wheel were Mr Pete Jensen, and Mrs H. Sharman.

Mr Alex Melenchuck left Wednesday morning for Camrose, where he expects to spend the next four months in Camp.

Mrs Daphne Osborn spent a few days of last week visiting with friends in Calgary.

The weatherman seemed very put out last Saturday, when he turned on the wind nd snow for us. It looked for a while like another May blizzard of a few years ago but towards noon the worst was over, and by evening, all was calm, but mighty cold. Take warning, don't discard your red flannels yet for a while. The roads are in fair shape. A few drifts in places but nothing bad.

LANGDON

Mrs W. Cathro of Calgary has been a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Geo. Whitney, prior to her leaving soon to join her husband who is stationed at Portage la Prairie.

Mr Lee Welshimer and Mrs Edith Wilson were the winners at the '500' party sponsored by the Women's Institute on March 13th. Mr E. Wenger and Mrs J. Bates were the consolation winners.

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A 25c tea, held at the home of Mrs J. Brander on Wednesday, March 12 was very well attended. A very enjoyable afternoon was the result, and the Ladies Aid appreciates the response.

Mr and Mrs W. D. Braden returned on Friday from a three months' visit to friends and relatives in Washington Oregon and Idaho. Miss Wilma Braden who went with them stayed for a longer visit.

In the recent Toronto Conservatory of Music Examinations, Miss Aileen Brander won First Class Honors in Grade Two Theory. Her teacher, Miss Edith Higley is to be congratulated with her pupils.

At Fairplay School at their regular Monday evening "500" party, Mrs S Scott and J. Wenger were lucky winners, and Mrs L. Welshimer and J. Garlick had to be content with consolation prizes.

Corporal Jimmie Colwell who had ten days leave to visit his home, returned on Sunday to Winnipeg where he will be an instructor in No. 3 Wireless School.

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